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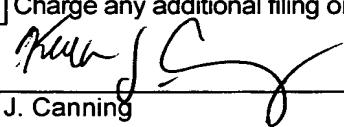
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 13, 2005 (Paper No. 20050329), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2.**

**Remarks begin on Page 6.**